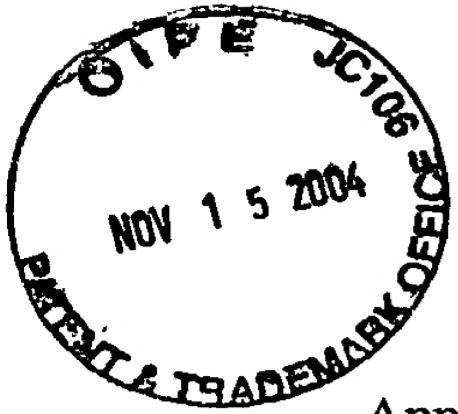


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Biediger, et al) For: Carboxylic Acid Derivatives That
Serial No.: 09/973,142) Inhibit the Binding of Integrins to
Filed: October 9, 2001) Their Receptors
) Examiner: Binta M. Robinson
) Group Art Unit: 1625

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This is in reply to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated October 25, 2004.
Submitted herewith is a complete listing of all the claims with the proper status of each claim.

It is submitted that with this listing the Amendment of September 17, 2004 now
complies with 37 C.F.R. §1.121.

In the event that any further corrections are necessary, please contact the undersigned
by phone.

Respectfully submitted,
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